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INTERVIEW SUMMARY AND AMENDMENT IN REPLY
TO ACTION OF JULY 30, 2009

The undersigned representative thanks the Examiner for the courtesy of the telephonic interview held on August 17, 2009.

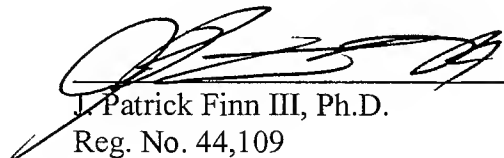
The substance of this interview included a discussion of the Restriction Requirement mailed June 30, 2009, and the fact that SEQ ID NO:8 is a nucleic acid sequence as set forth on page 13, lines 6-7, of Applicants' specification.

Responsive to Examiner's request during the interview, Applicants further elect the following species of CpG molecule comprising at least one sulfur atom: SEQ ID NO:8 comprising a phosphorothioate linkage.

Applicants believe no fee is due at this time. Please apply any charges or credits to deposit account 06 1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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